

Board of Recreation Commissioners

BOARD OF RECREATION COMMISSIONERS SPECIAL MEETING,

AUGUST 6TH, 2012

Roll Call:

D. Aponte	Present
R. Correa	Present
J. Donegan	Absent
J. Galligan	Present
D. Kostantakis	Absent
D. Morrell	Present
P. Musse	Present
J. Rafti	Absent
D. Totten	Present
B. Wicker	Present

Chairman Correa called the meeting to order at 7:35 p.m.

Chairman Correa announced, *“All requirements of the Open Public Meetings Law have been met for this meeting of the Board of Recreation Commissioners of the Borough of Dumont”*.

- Notices have been transmitted to the newspapers
- Notice has been filed with the Borough Clerk

Discussion of Field Permits for Fall 2012 – primarily DHS – football/soccer requests. Representing Jr. Football, Gerry Aponte, President and representing Dumont Soccer, Tim Downing President.

- Request to be made for DPW to remove the baseball fence so that soccer can use the field
- Soccer is going to move off DHS field for their practices for month of August and move to Memorial Field.
- JFB will submit the B game schedule by August 14th, that will include 4 games for Sundays to work around Soccer’s game schedule that has games scheduled on field every Sunday.
- Since football doesn’t start their games until Noon, Soccer may still be able to get their morning games in on Sundays.
- Requests have come in from other programs asking for various fields, no additional permits will be issued to men’s fall softball, fall sr. baseball and men’s soccer until all football/soccer schedules have been satisfied for practices/games space. Permits for other programs will not be considered until after August 14th.
- Are of high school is taped off that is used for alternate practice space for Jr. Football. The high school will be asked to remove the tape.
- Date construction is to be done at the DHS is 8/25 per N. Nese, the DHS Athletic Director.

- There was a discussion regarding portable lights at Bedford Field and a Porta John.
- D. Morrell voiced concern that moving JFB to Bedford Field would affect Flag Football and their season since they start at the end of October.
- Football will be using Bedford the last two weeks in August. There should be no need for lights.
- T. Downing said that one or two teams can practice at Memorial and share the field space as they had done in the past if the team needs to practice under lights.
- Mighty Mites JFB teams practice a couple nights a week not every night. Suggestion for them to use the Farm Field at Memorial Park. Suggested they use this field for the month of August.
- It was discussed Bedford to have 2 teams, Memorial to have 2 teams and use of high school open areas on the nights that the band and other h.s. functions going on at DHS.

Respectfully submitted

Dawn Totten

August 9, 2012